

ADDITIONAL BONNE TERRE

Big Fire Visits Bonne Terre—Damages Amount to \$5,000.00.

Fire broke out in the rear of the Lyric Theatre Tuesday morning at about 7 o'clock and before it could be stopped had destroyed Jeff McDowell's pool room and Ben Sherman's barber shop besides the Lyric Theatre.

Since an explosion was heard preceding the fire, it is supposed that it started from the explosion of a gasoline stove that was used for heating water. Manager Simon had been in the building at 6:30 a. m. before leaving for St. Louis on the morning train and had found everything alright.

The theatre building, chairs, music stands and all the picture apparatus were completely destroyed by the fire. The loss is covered by insurance. Mr. Dubinsky owned the place. The pool room, pool tables, confettioneries and contents of the pool room were also destroyed. Mr. McDowell loses all, as he had no insurance on the fixtures.

Miller and Grady of Desloge owned the pool room and the barber shop buildings and had the damage covered by insurance. The barber chairs and fixtures were saved.

Norwine Dry Goods Co.'s store and T. E. Phillips' Grocery Store suffered small damages, but the owners will make no claims. Mrs. S. E. Nix's confectionery store and Norman McCabe's barber shop were also slightly damaged.

This was the worst fire that has visited Bonne Terre in several years, the loss amounting to over \$5,000.00.

W. L. Bouchard and Walter Bouchard passed through Bonne Terre en route to Jefferson City on business and returned home Wednesday morning.

The Catholic school will begin on September 7th. Eight of the sisters arrived in Bonne Terre Wednesday morning.

Mrs. E. O. Dryden and small daughter of Silver Springs passed through town Wednesday en route to Flat River for a few days' visit.

Miss Emily Knorr, who spent last week with P. Spradling and family returned to her home near Eminence Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Klepatt of Festus visited relatives here the first of this week.

Attorney William E. Rouse of Desloge transacted business here Wednesday.

Clifford Bax of St. Louis is on a visit with J. W. Bax and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stengel departed on Saturday morning for Springfield, Ill., to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Todd. They may make their future home in that city.

Manager Simon Dubinsky of the Lyric Theatre was in St. Louis Tuesday looking for special features for his picture show.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pige spent the first of this week in St. Louis visiting and shopping.

Miss Myrtle Manning of Herculaneum and Miss Dora Heimer of Pevely were the guests of their respective friends, Ernest Scott and Clyde Chandler, over Sunday.

Otto Ball of Flat River visited the family of Walter Scott Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Turnbull of Elvins passed through Bonne Terre Tuesday afternoon en route to Libertyville, Mo., to spend a week's vacation with friends and relatives.

Lawrence Waltman of Herculaneum visited with friends and relatives here Tuesday.

Fenton Thurman of Silver Springs spent Monday and Tuesday with his brother, Geo. Thurman, and wife of this place.

Miss Fannie Hudson, who has been visiting the family of John Pierce here, returned to her home in Farmington Sunday morning. She was accompanied by Fred Hopkins, who remained over until evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kehrman, who have been on a two weeks' sojourn in Baltimore, Md., returned to their home here Tuesday morning.

Chas. Wilfong and Earl Madder were the guests of friends at Pevely over Sunday.

Mrs. D. S. Robinson and son, Leon, spent Saturday evening and Sunday with friends at Elvins.

Mrs. Maggie Chaman and daughters, Lorraine and Gladys, who have been visiting relatives here, left Tuesday morning for a visit at Syenite before returning to their home in St. Louis.

Mr. A. W. Prince, who has been on an extended visit with William Frey and family of this place, departed on Tuesday morning for her home at Jackson, Tenn.

Rev. Albert Rushnell, Assistant State Superintendent of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League, spoke at the Congregational Church Sunday and took up a collection for this work.

Rev. S. P. Mothershead of Desloge was in Bonne Terre on business Tuesday morning.

Lawson and Miss Lucetta Henry will leave September 6th for Morrisville, Mo., where the former will attend school and the latter will teach. Roy Calvert of St. Louis spent Saturday evening and Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Samuel Calvert.

A. E. Fraser, Chris Radtke, Ben Sherman and Norman McCabe attended a meeting of the ladies' union at Flat River Sunday.

Thomas P. Vogt made a business trip to St. Louis Monday.

John Dotson of Leadwood visited relatives here Tuesday morning.

J. J. Lousier and daughter, Miss Ethel, went to St. Louis Friday morning to do some shopping. They will be accompanied home Saturday evening by Miss Lettie Barnes of Rockwood, Ill., who will visit here for several weeks.

Albert Weiman is wearing a nice black eye, the result of a fight with Ben Sherman Tuesday evening.

Constable W. A. Bullocks has been taking up a subscription this week to finance the placing of hammers on street corners. The same man that did this work in Farmington will do it here.

The members of the Bonne Terre A. O. U. W. Lodge have been invited to attend lodge at Desloge Friday night, and some will do so, the attraction being a pie-eating contest.

BISMARCK

It is proposed to raise a fund of three hundred dollars by subscription to buy food and fuel for those that will soon be destitute as a result of the drought. Probably the mayor will be selected as chairman and two other business men will assist him in investigating worthy persons and caring for their necessities.

Mayor Ramsey and aldermen Mattlin and Hunter visited Farmington Tuesday preparatory to taking legal action to force property owners to vacate that part of the city streets they have fenced up.

The fine burn of Wm. Gibson on his farm west of town was burned to the ground Monday morning. He had no insurance.

Louis Nagel of Elvins was a visitor here Monday.

Chas. Housher, Jr., cut his foot severely with an ax Monday.

Burglars have been busy here the past week.

Sam Agnew is making extensive improvements on his farm adjoining town. He is the catcher for the St. Louis Browns and will make his home here during the winter season.

O. E. Hansbrough shipped a carload of cattle to Sikeston, Mo., Tuesday.

Chas. Overstreet was seriously injured by being thrown against a telephone post in a runaway accident Thursday.

M. Bisplinghoff is suffering from a cut on his arm the past week.

Raymond Simms, aged 22 years, one of our brightest and best young men, was accidentally killed by coming in contact with a heavily charged electric wire while at work at Cairo, Ill., Friday. His remains were interred in the Simms cemetery Thursday.

Frank Devine is nursing injuries this week caused by being run over by a railroad motor car Tuesday.

Cliff Sutherland was elected alderman in the 2nd ward at a special election Tuesday last, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Henry Adkins.

Messrs. C. I. Garrett, Emmett Belknap and others visited the county court this week and secured \$1000 to use on the Bismarck and Leadwood road.

Judge Hess of Caledonia was a visitor here Monday.

Miss Ethel Hale of Bellevue visited friends here Monday.

FAIRVIEW ITEMS

Frank and Miss Pearl Mullersman are visiting friends and relatives at Silver Lake a few days this week.

Wm. Cleve transacted business in Farmington Thursday.

Miss Hazel Halter of Fredericktown was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Meehan a few days last week.

Miss Florence Kennedy returned to her home Monday, after spending a few weeks with her sister.

Walter and Miss Pearl Williams spent Tuesday and Wednesday the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Wilkerson, of Farmington.

Mrs. John Mullersman and children are visiting friends and relatives in Fredericktown this week.

Those who spent Sunday with G. W. Williams and family are as follows: Chas. Pratt and family of Flat River, Mr. and Mrs. Wilken of Farmington, By Webb and family. All left at a late hour declaring they had not spent a more enjoyable day.

Dr. Meehan spent Sunday in Fredericktown.

Master Geo. Williams of Farmington spent Sunday with his parents of this place.

ADDITIONAL FLAT RIVER

Mr. J. G. Haggerman returned home Monday after a week's visit with friends at Newton, Kansas.

Miss Shariett Sailer returned to her home in St. Louis Monday after a two weeks' visit with her friend, Miss Madeline Ray.

Miss Maggie Williams is visiting friends at St. Louis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. M. Strong and little son of Columbia are visiting Mrs. Strong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pratt, this week.

Uncle Buck Clark is on the sick list this week.

Chas. Schrum, who has been visiting relatives and friends here the last three weeks, returned to his home at Hayti Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pratt were Farmington visitors Wednesday.

Misses Ida and Vida Tucker returned home Thursday after a delightful visit with relatives at Wisconsin.

C. E. Whitener was an Elvins visitor Friday.

Miss Myrtle Pratt of Bonne Terre was a visitor here Wednesday.

O. G. Cozart of Farmington transacted business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nicholson visited relatives at Bonne Terre Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Smith and children of Hayti are visiting relatives and friends here.

Katherine and Frances Detchmeyer are visiting relatives in St. Louis this week.

State Mine Inspector R. C. Detchmeyer is working in St. Louis and Franklin counties this week.

Mr. Geo. Hill of Bevier, Mo., Chief State Mine Inspector, spent Monday and Tuesday with R. C. Detchmeyer.

Mr. Wm. Medlock and little daughter, Mildred are visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Covington and children are spending this week with St. Louis relatives.

H. Tucker was a Farmington visitor Tuesday.

Eloyd Westover was a Farmington visitor Saturday.

NOTICE TO PARENTS AND GUARDIANS OF FARMINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Provisions of Compulsory Attendance Law.

Article 6, Chapter 106, R. S. 1903 and Session Acts, 1911.

1. Every child between 8 and 14 years old must attend some day school at least three-fourths of the term each year.

2. Every child between 14 and 16 years old, when not regularly employed, must attend some day school at least three-fourths of the term each year.

3. No child can be excused on promise to attend the first three-fourths of the term before being excused under this law.

4. Courts having jurisdiction (justice of the peace in rural districts and in cities having less than 50,000 population) may excuse children from attending school for following reasons: (1) Parents cannot supply proper clothing; (2) child is mentally or physically unable to attend; (3) no public school in two and a half miles of the home; (4) child has completed the common school course.

5. No child under 14 can be employed except at agricultural pursuits and in domestic service unless excused for one of the four reasons, or has statement from teacher that he has already attended three-fourths of the term for that school year; no child between 14 and 16 can be legally employed without an employment certificate issued by the school authorities.

6. It is the duty of attendance officers and district clerks to notify parents and guardians when children fail to comply with the provisions of the law.

7. The secretary or clerk of board must furnish principal or teacher at beginning of term with copy of enumeration. The principal must compare the list with enrollment and report at the end of each week during the first month, and as often as necessary after that, the names of nonattendants.

8. The clerk or secretary of board must report to the county superintendent on or before the end of each of the first three quarters of the school term the names of parents or guardians of nonattendants.

9. The penalty for nonattendance falls on parents or guardian, and is a fine of not more than \$25 or imprisonment for 10 days, or both.

10. For illegal employment of a child, the employer is subject to a fine of one hundred dollars and costs and imprisonment for one year.

11. Every school board shall publish this synopsis in newspaper of the district or post it in at least five public places ten days before school opens each year.

By order of the Board of Education.

FRED M. KARSCH, Pres.

J. P. CAYCE, Sec.

SAVINGS OF MRS. SOLOMON

Being the Confessions of the Seven Hundredth Wife.

(Translated by Helen Rowland)

My daughter, consider the words of a wise dame, unto whom not Solomon himself could have given pointers:

Lo, I come upon a maiden sitting on the beach, completely surrounded by men.

And while the other damsels danced to the sounding of brass and tinkling of cymbals, she remained afar and could not be moved to join them.

Then I questioned her, saying: "How now, fair daughter, when all the world is tripping the light fantastic and dancing upon the sands, why sittest thou apart, nor seekest to be one of them?"

And she smiled and answered me, saying: "Alas, I do not dance the new dances!"

"For lo, though I am over 19 and not unloved, though the flirtations of my youth have been ninety and nine, yet I am still romantic, and mine illusions bright and glowing."

"Behold, men are as the rings upon mine hand, and their devotion is sweeter unto me than honey and frankincense."

"Yea, I would rather be popular than President!"

"Moreover, I am not a prude, neither am I averse to being embraced."

"Yet I am exceedingly fastidious as to who shall do the embracing."

"And neither the youths that haunt the carabets, nor those that disport themselves upon the beaches, shall hold me in their arms as a bundle of laundry."

Go to! I am not a Christmas doll, that anything which weareth a crown, suit and sequeneth an introduction may elapse me in his arms as a trophy."

"For I have perceived that men value a woman at her own estimate; and no man prizeth favors that are given away like unto trading stamps."

"Likewise I have found out that men are of two varieties—interesting men and dancing men; and thus do I divide the sheep from the goats."

"Therefore do I sit apart and let my charms do their own work."

"For verily, verily, in this day of femininity, feminism and ennui, it hath come to pass that that for which every man seeketh and cannot find, that for which he yearneth with all his soul and pursoeth with all his might, is elusive woman!"

Selah.

EDWARD BYINGTON, Trustee.

MARKET REPORT

The heavy runs of sheep and lambs at Chicago and Omaha has been the big factor in the downward trend of values and with goodly supplies here yesterday and 5000 today a general decline of 25c governed selling of all kinds. A top of \$7.75 was made on choice lambs, but only for a few to city butchers. The packer top was \$7.65. Fat sheep sold at \$5; canners and chopper sheep \$2.50 to \$4.00; choice black face breeding ewes \$5.60; stock sheep \$4.50 to \$4.75, with locks at \$3.75.

While the top hogs at \$9.40 today were a nickel lower than yesterday's high time, yet the general market was fully steady with Monday's average and a much better trade than at the wind-up that day. Pigs under 130 pounds are the only classes that are not finding any favor and for several days this has been the case. A give and take market such as we have had of late is but reasonable to expect but as far as the future outlook is concerned we can accept no other side but the bull feature and we will sell swine considerably higher if the country will handle the situation to good advantage at their end.

Cattle receipts 5000. All fat steers and best yearlings have not been popular this week, owing to bad eastern markets and they have declined 25c but as far as the general trade for butcher stuff, canners or stock cattle is concerned, it is good and steady.

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Bran, per 100 lb.	1.55
Meal, per bushel	1.15
Corn, per bushel	1.00
Oats, per bushel	.85
Hay, per ton	20.00
Irish potatoes, per bushel	1.10
Lard, per lb.	.121-2
Chickens, hens, per lb.	.10
Chickens, spring	.15
Eggs, per dozen	.20
Honey, per lb.	.15 and .20
Cattle, cows, per lb.	.05 1-2
Cattle, steers, per lb.	.05 1-2 to .06 1-2
Cattle, heifers, per lb.	.05 1-2 to .06
Veal calves, per lb.	.07
Milk Cows \$35.00 to \$50.00	
Sheep, per lb.	.03 1-2
Lambs per lb.	.06 1-2
Hogs, per lb.	.06 to .08 1-2

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas, Gus Wilkerson and Rosa L. Wilkerson, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated the 21st day of February, 1910, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of St. Francois, State of Missouri, in book 88, at page 492, conveyed to the undersigned, Trustee, the following described real estate, situated in the county of St. Francois State of Missouri, to-wit:

All our right, title and interest in and to the lease, together with the house and all improvements on Lot Numbered Three (3), in Block Numbered Nine (9), in the town of Flat River, St. Francois County, Missouri, as shown upon the plat of said town now on file in the office of the St. Louis Smelting and Refining Company in the County of St. Francois, and the State of Missouri, said lot being a piece of ground 80 feet front by 150 feet deep.

Whereas said note is past due and remains unpaid;

Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, at the south front door of the Court House, in the city of Farmington, St. Francois County, Missouri, on

Saturday, August 29, 1914,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of that day for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

EDWARD BYINGTON, Trustee.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

County of St. Francois, | SS,
State of Missouri,
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, MAY TERM, 1914.

Thomas C. Young, Plaintiff,
vs.
Louise Truchon, Oscar H. Truchon, Geo. E. Truchon and Celia Truchon, Defendants.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein by his attorney and filed his Petition and Affidavit, alleging, among other things, that defendants Louise Truchon, Oscar H. Truchon, George E. Truchon and Celia Truchon are not residents of the State of Missouri;

Whereupon it is ordered by this Court that said Defendants be notified by publication that Plaintiff has commenced suit against them in this Court, the object and general nature of which is an action for partition of lands described as follows:

Situated in St. Francois County, Missouri, W. 1-2, S. W. 1-4 Section 26, containing 80 acres; N. 1-2, S. E. 1-4 Section 27, containing 80 acres; W. 1-2, N. W. 1-4 Section 35, containing 80 acres; West part W. 1-2, S. W. 1-4 Section 35, containing 20 acres, and East part E. 1-2, S. E. 1-4 Section 34, containing 55 acres, all in Township Thirty-Eight North, Range Five East aggregating 315 acres, more or less, and that unless said Defendants, Louise Truchon, Oscar H. Truchon, George E. Truchon and Celia Truchon be and appear at this Court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the city of Farmington, in said County, on the 9th day of November next, and on or before the last day of said term answer and plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published according to law, in the Farmington Times, a newspaper published in said county of St. Francois for four weeks successively, at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of said next November term of this Court.

Order made and entered this 26th day of May, 1914. A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court of St. Francois County, this first day of June, 1914.

(SEAL) C. P. WILKSON,
Circuit Clerk.

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